

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Army, after receiving testimony from John M. McHugh, Secretary of the Army, and General George W. Casey Jr., Chief of Staff, United States Army, both of the Department of Defense.

### APPROPRIATIONS: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for the Environmental Protection Agency, after receiving testimony from Lisa P. Jackson, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency.

### PROTECTIVE FORCES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Strategic Forces concluded a hearing to examine the protective forces at the Department of Energy, focusing on analyzed information on the management and compensation of protective forces, the implementation of Tactical Response Force (TRF), and the Department of Energy's two options to more uniformly manage Department of Energy protective forces, after receiving testimony from Eugene E. Aloise, Director, Office of Natural Resources and Environment, Government Accountability Office; Glenn S. Podonsky, Director, Office of Health, Safety and Security, Department of Energy; and Mike Stumbo, National Council of Security Police, Amarillo, Texas.

### GUANTANAMO DETENTION FACILITY

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee met to receive a closed briefing on policies, procedures, and practices relating to the transfer of detainees held at the Guantanamo Detention Facility, after receiving testimony from William J. Lynn, Deputy Secretary, and General James E. Cartwright, USMC, Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, both of the Department of Defense; Daniel Fried, Special Envoy for Guantanamo, Office of the Secretary of State; Matthew G. Olsen, Executive Director, Guantanamo Detainee Review Task Force, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Justice; and Charles W. Alsup, Assistant Deputy Director of National Intelligence for Customer Requirements.

### NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION BUDGET

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and Fisheries Enforcement Programs and Operations, after receiving testimony from Jane Lubchenco, Under Secretary for Oceans and Atmosphere, and Administrator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and Todd J. Zinser, Inspector General, both of the Department of Commerce.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUDGET

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Department of the Interior, after receiving testimony from Ken Salazar, Secretary, David Hayes, Deputy Secretary, and Pam Haze, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Budget, Finance, Performance Management, and Acquisition, all of the Department of the Interior.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Larry Persily, to be Federal Coordinator for Alaska Natural Gas Transportation Projects, and Patricia A. Hoffman, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability.

### TRANSPORTATION INVESTMENTS

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine transportation investments relative to the national economy and jobs, after receiving testimony from Pete K. Rahn, Missouri Department of Transportation, Jefferson City, on behalf of the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials; William R. Buechner, American Road and Transportation Builders Association, and Raymond J. Poupore, National Construction Alliance II, both of Washington, D.C.; and Tom Foss, Griffith Company, Brea, California, on behalf of the Associated General Contractors of America.

### UNITED STATES TRADE AGENDA

*Committee on Finance:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the 2010 trade agenda, after receiving testimony from Ron Kirk, United States Trade Representative, Executive Office of the President.

### CHEMICAL SECURITY

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine